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s of Real Estate.

Decatur Represented at the Annual Meeting of Farmers.

The attendance at the State Farmers' Institute at Springfield is large. Among the papers read were those by two Deca.

R. M. Bell, of Decatur, read a paper upon the "Outlook for the Illinois Sheep Breeders." He spoke of the raising of sheep for food and for wool as one of the the onlest res- essentials for the Illinois farmer. He died Sept 20, said that the time would soon come a.ued at about when more wool garments would be among whom worn than the country has ever seen, r. Catherine M. and this will be a time when sheep rais ter now dead,) ing will be one of the principal features M. Garver, among the farmers. He spoke of the latha all chid-soils not receiving proper attention and harab Carr. Fil- told how the land could be benefited by trarver. Rosa the raising of sheep. He said that more er. Nora Garver mutton was raised in this state last year li grard children than ever before, and the outlook for on M. Garver, de isheep raising in Illinois was never more Andrew Garver | promising than to day.

the said Andrew Mrs. R. A. Judy, of Decatur, read a Filza J. Garver, very excellent paper upon "The Outlook for the Poultry Breeders of Illinois," a win, which was She compared poultry raising of the 1890, which was present day with of that of 40 years ago, 3, 1891, and J. R. and rediculed the methods then in pracadministrator with tice. She encouraged the raising of fine the terms of the breeds and good stock, and said that noth real and per- more attention should be paid to poultry hildren of the de raising on the farm and less to fancy rs of his son Solo breeds, which are of no practical value. anke, that is to It is not worth while, she held, to raise Iren of David Gar. poultry unless it can be made profitable, part, and the hours and this can be done by paying strict r one sighth part attention to the poultry house and seesubject to cer ing that the low's are kept in a healthy to certain notes condition and properly sheltered. She urged scientific methods in feeding fowls

for egg production. She said that tate be ame tied up poultry and eggs were the only product in an action orig that the United States did not export or Abram Garver import Other products of the farm can carter et al. and only be raised to an advantage in certain er was referred localities, but poultry can be produced ars J. Fran. master in all sections, and it is one industry

the report. Mills STATE BAR ASSOCIATION.

ou.plamants in the Annual Meeting to Be Held in Springfield Jan. 23 and 24.

The annual meeting of the Illinois Outten, for Adminis State Bar association will be held in minor hear, Richard | Springheld Jan. 23 and 24 at the state house. This will be an important meetich is now ready for ing from the fact that there are some of e circuit court next the most prominent men in the state on The meeting will open with an ad-

The turnings as to dress by the president of the association, unst each of the heirs Judge Oliver A. Harker of Carbondale, chief justice of the appellate court for Garver, one eighth in the Ottawa district. Judge Henry W. on notes, dating from Blodgett of Chicago; formerly United I, ail drawing interest States district judge of Chicago, and er cent down to 6 per Pater representing the United States in here are sixteen notes the arbitration at Paris, will deliver an address upon "The Early Bar of Cook County." Judge James H. Cartwright, accement. \$7053. The the newly elected justice of Illnois, will this comment. "The deliver on address upon "The Briefs rg I against said F. M. That Help the Court." He will express book of a harcements the result of his experiences as a memalvien rg and unst him ber of the appellate court for the Ottows ik ng and charges, and district Assistant Attorney General q i ty as charges aga net | Martin L. Newell will read a paper on

Addresses will also be delivered by 11 M Carver are an Hon. James C Courtney of Metropolis, one of the bright lights of the Southern 131 80, 12 note, \$3.225 Illinois bar; Robert Mather, general and \$210 on note to solicitor of the Rock Island railroad; one of the a rs. (\$16 pand Judge John Burton Peyne of the supe tota, cl arga, e-scrudited mor court of Chicago: Judge Lysander Hill, formerly of the Virginia superio erver, on constituterest court, now a leading patent lawyer of Ivancement of \$1,000, and Chango, and L. L. Bond, also an emi ing \$190001, total, \$2. next patent lawyer of Chicago.

The meeting will close with a recep tion and banquet as in former years.

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At the home of her daughter Mrs. H. A. Historic report that all other set, at Columbia, Ohio, January 2, Mrs. Kerre the complainants bill, heave, area seyears, 6 months.

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Marriage Licenses.

Amos Reeser, Forsyth..... VKLES BEST FLOUR Mrs. Anna Keagle, Latham. 24

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Joseph Baker.

at 125 block 6, Welbut Sullivan, Ill., Jan. 8.—Joseph Baker,

Striction, James E. Hardy, et 67, a prominent farmer and stock shipock i West Park addition per, died here to day He was the father of John H. Baker of this city.

nest of all in Leavening Power .- Latest U.S. Gov't Report



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DECATUR, ILLINOIS, FRIDAY, JANUARY 10, 1896.

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Race Clothing Mf'g Company.

Mr. J. C. Schaller, the fashion= able and up-to-date Cutter, will enter the employ of the Race Clothing stances, Sir Mackenzie Bowell has, as the head of the administration, consid-Manufacturing Company on JAN= to reorganize the government, and, therefore, he (Caron) moved that the UARY 13, where he will be pleased to meet his many friends and all jected to any adjournment of more than from day to day, as the constituothers who want clothes made right.

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CRISIS IN CANADA.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell Tenders His Resignation,

WHICH, HOWEVER, IS NOT ACCEPTED,

And the Premier Will Attempt to Reorganize the Government-Willing to Submit to the Judgment of the People.

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 10.-In the house of commons yesterday, Sir Adolphe E. Caron announced that Premier Bowell had several interviews with the gov-ernor general Wednesday, which re-sulted in the premier offering his resignation to his excellency. The latter intimated that he was not ready to receive it, because he thought parliament should first have an opportunity of considering and passing an opinion upon the speech from the throne, which was now before it. Under these circumhouse adjourn until next Tuesday. An exactly similar statement was read

in the senate by the premier.

Mr. Laurier, the liberal leader, obthan from day to day, as the constitution provided

Beside reading in the senate the same statement which was read before the commons Premier Bowell said he was willing to leave to the judgment of the people his own action and that of his colleagues, who had attacked him.

GERMANS IN AMERICA

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 10,-- The Abend Post and Volksblatt, the German daily papers of this city, comment editorially on the threatened trouble between England and Germany. The Abend Post takes the view that the English wont fight-that they will bluff awhile and then "crawfish," as when Russia occupied the Pamir, and when France annexed half of Siam. The Post considers the German torpedo fleet a match for the British navy.

The Volksblatt says: The German emperor has made himself most popular by his unex-pected move. Germany needs colonies more than any other nation on earth does, and she must have them. The English have hampered them everywhere and the Germans long for revenge. England is the enemy of German colonial, commercial and in-

dustrial progress."
Continuing, the Volksblatt expresses the belief that a war between Germany Special inducements to those and England would be America's opportunity, and says: "As long as Canada remains British we never feel at home in our country. If only the Ger-

nan-English war would come.'

THE IRON CHANCELLOR

BERLIN, Jan. 10.-The London Anzeiger says that Prince Bismarck will night of January 17, and arrived at Berlin at ten o'clock on the morning of January 18. According to the announcement, he will attend all of the ceremonies during the day, and also be present at the banquetatthe castle. He will be accompanied by both of his sons, Counts Herbert and William Bismarck. The emperor will delegate a colonel to act as honorary aid to Prince Bismarck, who will attend the parade in the Lustgarten seated in the royal carriage. The ex-chancellor will start on his return to Friedrichsruhe at 9 o'clock in the morning.

PLEDGED TO HELP CUBA. American Militlamen Enlisting in the Cause of Cuban Freedom.

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.-Corporal Sullivan of Company I, I. N. G., said last night that one whole company of the seventh regiment, I. N. G., and the greater part of another had definitely decided to go to Cuba and enlist in the ranks of the insurgents. Company I, Capt. Cassidy, has volunteered to a man, and 30 men of Company B, headed by Capt. Punch, have pledged themselves to the

cause of Cuban freedom. "Unless the plans of the organizers of the movement greatly miscarry," said Corporal Sullivan, "not two companies, but the entire seventh regiment will leave Chicago within two weeks for Florida, and with it will go \$1.00 to \$4.00. The regiment, N. G. N. Y."

to go are Irish or of Irish descent. Bucklen's Armos Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruses, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tettor, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For Sale By.

King & Merz.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10. - Owing to the late session of the senate, the republican caucus was not held yesterday afternoon. It will be held at the call of the chairman, possibly to-day.

Refused to Accept the Resignation of Capt.-Gen. Campos.

MADRID, Jan. 10.-At a cabinet council held yesterday it was decided to not accept the resignation of Capt.-Gen. Campos. It was resolved to increase the military and naval forces in Cuba. Ordered to Surrender Their Arms to the

LONDON, Jan. 10 .- The British South Africa Co. has ordered its officials is south Africa to deliver all the guns and ammunition in their possession to the officers of the imperial govern-

Government.

A Decided Preference for McKinley. MILWAUKEE, Jan. 10 .- The republican state central committee in s here yesterday decided to hold their state convention in Milwaukee on March 18. A canvass of those present showed a decided preference for Mo-

Kinley as a presidential candidate. Fell Doad While Singing a Hymn.

Memorial church here last evening Gen. Thomas L. Kane, founder of this place, dropped dead while singing a hymn. Just as she reached the refrain "Speed away," she sank to the floor unconscious. Heart disease is given

A Configration Raging at Lexington, Ky. LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 10, 2 a. m .cottages, is burning down. It is be-lieved the whole settlement, which is just outside of the city limits at the east of town, will be destroyed. The department has so far failed to get enough hose to reach the fire, and it is burning unchecked.

The Katahdin Accepted.

Washingron, Jan. 10.-In accordance with the joint resolution of congress Secretary Herbert yesterday, immediately upon his return from New York, accepted the ram Katabdin in behalf of the government. The formalities were concluded with Gen. Hyde, president of the Bath iron works, of Bath. Mc., the contractors for the little vessel The Katahdin will be turned over to the government at once by the iron works and the finishing touches to her put on at the Brooklyn navy yard. It is expected that the Katahdin will be placed in commission in about ten days

AN AWFUL MISTAKE.

An Innocent Man Killed While Resisting Arrest as a Supposed Train Wrecker.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Jan. 10.-The coroner's inquest yesterday in Lincoln county developed the fact that the man killed Tuesday by Charles Berger and Henry Brumfield, in an attempt to arrest him on the supposition that he was Hazen, a train wrecker, wanted in Illinois, was Jesse J. Montague, a wealthy citizen of Broome county.

The British Government Replenishing an Important Coaling Station.

Washington, Jan. 10.—Information has reached the navy department that the British government is displaying great activity in storing coal at its well-fortified naval coaling and supply station at St. Lucia, near the Venezue-lan coast. The disturbed relations between Great Britain and Germany is given as the reason for the activity.



One reason why women are so generally troubled with some derangement of the distinctly feminine organism is that argirls they learn nothing about their own physical male are. Parents are nothing

the distinctly feminine organism is that as girls they learn nothing about their own physical make up. Parents are waking up to the importance of education of this kind, and young women are becoming more and more able to take care of their health.

Carelessness in girlhood causes the greatest suffering and unhappiness in after life. Little irregularities and weaknesses in girls should be looked after prouptly and treatment given at once. Dr. Pierre's Favorite Prescription promotes regularity of all feurinine functions makes strength and builds up a sturdy health with which to meet the trials to come. The "Favorite Prescription" is not a universal panacea. It is good for but one thing. It is directed solely at one set of organs.

"I have been a sufferer from 'female weakness' for six years, I grew worse, had severe cutting pains in left ovary, also in left side and stomach. The pain in left side was constant. I would have light spasms previous to monthly period and when the spasm would leave I would suffer from severe screness all over and could bear nothing to touch me. I also suffered from severe headaches; burning pressure on brain which shmost caused me to be lusane. I could not lay my head down without smothering. My face was poor; eyes looked dead; wasted in fiesh. I was constipated and suffered severe pain when bowels would act. I could not eat for the full-ness in region of stomach. I had tried three of the best doctors here but they only gave me temporary relief. I had given up all hope of ever getting well again. At lest I concluded to give Dr. Pierce's Pavorite Prescription a tr.al. I have taken two bottles, one of the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and one of 'Pellets'. I have not felt any signs of my old duseac headache all gone. messes regular without ache or pain. Indeed I feel like a new person." Yours truly.

We bought very heavily for this fall's trade and, as every one knows, business has not been what it should have been. The result is that we find we have entirely too much clothing, which we must positively sell, and we are therefore going to offer a reduction of

15 per cent

FOR CASH ONLY, on all Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats. Our prices, which are plainly marked on each garment, were low to start KANE, Pa., Jan. 10.-In the Kane with, and with a reduction of 15 per cent. will give Dr. Harriet Kane, daughter of the late you clothing cheaper thanyou ever saw them.

Two only, genuine imported Patton Beaver Men's Overcoats, worth \$40, now \$32.50.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 10, 2 a. m.— \$32.50 Overcoats.... now \$27.00 27.00 Suits & Overcoats 22.00 25.00 20.00 17.00 20.00 15.30 18.00 15.00 12.75 8.00 10.00

Remember, there is a discount of 15 per cent. on ALL Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits & Overcoats.

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at prices that will interest you. Come and see us before your buy and judge for your

leave Friedrichsruhe on January 17, to one find the festivities upon the occasion of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the proclamation of the German empire, on January 18. The ex-chancel-lor will sleep at Schoenhausen on the line bud in Springfield.

ONE Minute Cough Cure is a popular remedy for croup, Safe for children and adults. West's drug store.

An attempted jail delivery was nipped in the bud in Springfield.

Cost to Close Out.

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FRIDAY, JAN. 10, 1896.

GEN. CAMPOS has not announced for several days that he has the insurgent

counted as against the Kaiser.

THE yield of silver in Colorado was re-

RUFUS N. RAMSAY SCOME to have suc-

ceeded during his brief term as etate treasurer in distributing the state funds on a non-partisan basis.

through the air to some Turkish port.

He smells the savor of a fish fry in an Too many who depend upon the activity

get out and drive the raiders away from without labor, that, therefore, labor is position will probably hold until Febhis front? Does he mistrust the loyalty the only element worth considering as a ruary 5, without any change of imporof his forces, or the loyalty of the citi factor in developing the resources tant details. The president and secrezens of Havana, or both?

B. Forzker will all make speeches in Chicago in a few days at the same place ities immeasurable upon itself and the public call was issued. Onicago in a few days at the same place the country. Idle workmen does not on the same evening. It is to be hoped the country. Idle workmen does not will STAND BY THE TREASURY. the Tribune will exert its good offices mean a refusal of labor to be employed. to prevent the two Ohio people killing It means that capital has become fined National and Private Bankers Offer to

that the Hertz boom for state treasurer is not keeping pace with the Tanner boom for governor. Unless it gets a dependent upon it for support, while lief of the creasury with gold if it is move on itself it will not get outside of

ley will use each other up in the coming changed if every dollar of capital were national convention and that some divided equally among all the people. other man will be nominated. This is another instance of the governor's de termination to have the style of archilecture to suit himself.

LASE FORK, in Logan county, has

The only power that can defeat the Republican party in the future is ma chine politics. This means that every Republican who is more interested in the success of the principles of his party than in the success of men should look upon that kind of politics as the dangerous enemy of the party.

The evidence continues to come and gain in favor of the current year is all helps to prove our claims for Dr. gain in favor of the current year is all helps to prove our claims for Dr. \$13,000,000. issued. It is published by the J. B. W. C. Flick, ex postmaster, New Gar-Lippincott Company, Philadelphia. It den, Columbiana Co., Ohio, says: "About tells his story in an interesting manner.

THE resolutions introduced in the senate and house, yesterday, requesting prostration, for which there was no help the president to inquire whether England has reinforced her outposts in Venezuela since the president submitted has come to the president venezuelan message, and if so, to at conce demand the withdrawal of such reinforcements, was altogether proper, and it is to be hoped will be promptly adopted. If we mean business we mean it in everything that is involved in it, and if England, since the president's are perfectly cured." and if England, since the president's message has done anything by stealth to change the situation in Venezuela we should at once begin proceedings.

very long ago said the Republican who in the present should propose to disturb the present tariff would be hissed by his walking on the floor and broke her hip. colleagues. But this is what it said Thursday:

The Republican senatorial caucus takes a wise course in telling the finance committee to report the Dingley tariff bill without change, and in advaing the senate to pass it in that shape. There is some chance that it may be signed if it goes to the president in the form it had when it left the house, but it will certainly be vetoed if it is amended it the direction of further protection. The object of the house Republicans was to frame a bill which would make the targest increase possible in the revenues with the emaliest change in existing law, and their bill will accomplish this purpose if enacted in its present short.

man remuneration for labor. No man without capital can hire labor and pay Why They Expect to Secure the for it. Capital erects buildings, constructs railroads and canals, builds ships and pushes great enterprises. Capital does this, and yet in one sense it IT WILL BE A CASE OF ALL OR NONE, does not do it, for a dollar has neither Per week, 10 cents; Yearly, in advance... \$5.00 brains, nor hands nor feet. It cannot

Per week, 10 cents; Yearly, in advance... \$5.00 brains, nor hands nor feet. It cannot

With Advantages to the Government phone No. 43, will accure early attention of carcapital must prove the pioneer in these enterprises. It must first of its own volition move to effect these enterprises or nothing is done. Labor cannot move capital. A thousand laborers might combine and select a spot which in their judgment would be a proper place for a Morgan bond syndicate, the following manufactory or a route for a railroad, would appear to pay wages. Capital on February 5.

must first be convinced that an euterprise will return a profit before it invites sue and expects to be awarded the enduced last year by \$2,500,000, but its labor to become employed and pays for yield of gold was increased by \$6,200,000. it. Without the aggregation of capital confidence of entire success is that he will make an offer so advantageous that no other proposition can leges, churches and charities amounted great enterprise which affords work and in his way. This offer is to yield of gold was increased by \$6,200,000. it. Without the aggregation of capital to \$28,943,549, as against \$19,997,116 in wages to those who have labor to sell stand in his way. would ever be attempted; and in these purchase the entire \$100.000,000, pay days of close competition in business, ing principal and premium in gold no business could succeed and no factory digates for governor just now. They no business could succeed and no factory didates for governor just now. They could run without the guiding hand of sale qual to one-third of the issue, or exhibit them to their people one at a could run without the guiding hand of sale, or sale quality of the issue, or exhibit them to their people one at a could run without the guiding hand of sale, or sale quality of the issue, or sale quality o some one or more men of ability who control the investment. Much senseless | will thus not only be brought up to the war has been made on capital by recognized limit, but will have a large those who can not get along without surplus for its protection. the opportunity it gives for the employment of labor and much senseless exac-What glad music it would be to hear tions have also been made by capital, erably more than \$1.041/2 paid last the screaming of a shell, from an but the fact still remains that no man February. This low premium was American man-of war, as it went hurtling can move capital to the employment of paid because of the provision in the labor unless those who control capital contract compelling the syndicate to John Bull is not nearly so well estab. can see a profit in making it work protect the treasury reserve. No such John Bull is not nearly so well established in his views as to his rights in Venezuela as he was a few weeks ago. demagogues and false teachers that liberty to make individual bids besides They have been made to believe by

100,000 men in Havana, why don't he because nothing can be accomplished the syndicate bid. Instorces, or the toyanty of the order in developing the restorces tary of the treasury have no agreement of a country. By such erroneous tary of the treasury have no agreement of a country. By such erroneous tary of the treasury have no agreement private or public, with the syndicate. Gov. Morton, Gov. McKinley and J. 18(b) and its vote brought calmy. and refuses to embark in enterprises which employ labor. The most distressbooms, it must be conceded on all hands

ragged and broken down and sick and despondent. It has no wives and babies surances that they will come to the relabor cannot lie idle without suffering all of these troubles. This is a strange Gov. Altreach says Reed and McKin-condition and yet it could not be

ward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J.

mally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c per bottle Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

J. G. WATSON, father of Mrs. F. P. Sangster, of Farmer City, and a former resident of that place, is critically ill at

The Proof Accumulates.

bids fair to have a large sale, as the distinguished Confederate General has the reputation of being a fair man. He tells his story in an interesting manner. plied a battery, examined me closely and pronounced it a serious case of nervous am perfectly cured."

Dr. Waeeler's Nerve Vitalizer is a

o change the situation in Venezuela we included at once begin proceedings.

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat not Main and Water streets.

A Sound Liver makes a Well Man.

Iaw, and their bill will accomplish this present shape. The deficit thus far in the fiscal year is \$20,000,000. If the Dingley bill gets on the restute books the deficits will be acalds and burns without the slightest abolished.

Piles of people have piles, but De without it? West's drugstore.

With's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them. When promptly applied it cures acalds and burns without the slightest pain. West's drug store.

Whole Government Loan.

that Private Bidders Will be Powerless to Offer-The President Advised in the Matter.

New York. Jan. 10.- From & subfacts have been obtained

The syndicate expects to secure the In case of a war between England and night came, not one dollar of capital which are to be sold by the treasury

Mr. Morgan will bid for the entire is tire \$100,000.000. He will take all or none. The reason for Mr Morgan's

The price which the syndicate will offer is not exactly known by any one beside Mr. Morgan. It will be consid

The syndicate is now accumulating of capital do not realize these things. gold from every available scource. Members of the syndicate will be at

This is the state of affairs to-day. The

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.-A Washington

"Secretary Carlisle has received from national banks and from private bank-ers in every section of the country asneeded before February 6, the date of the bond issue.

The secretary said to-day that there was no probability of his being required to avail himself of these ofers, but he will not hesitate to do so if the gold reserve dwindles to the danger point. Secretary Carlisle re-We offer One Hundred Dollars Re- lies upon these offers to avert the necessity of another private bond sale before the opening of bids February 5.

Aside from the gold bonds, the treasbeen soldly Democratic for years. The great ditch that is being constructed to drain those great swamps in that county and reclaim the land will also reclaim the people, and the number of Democrate will diminish year by year until the revolution is complete.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Choney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and tinancially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken interpolated the people of the revolution is complete.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Choney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and tinancially able to carry ago. it is said. The available cash balance is now \$155,000,000. including the gold fund, against \$159,000,000. held one year ago. The net amount of legal tender notes now held is \$79,445. Against \$36,879,949 held last year. Deducting the gold fund, the available balance is now \$120,000,000, against balance is now \$120,000,000, against ury is in very fair condition, and deance is now \$178,000,000, including the gold fund, against \$159,000,000, held Deducting the gold fund, the available balance is now \$120,000,000, against \$73,000,000 on the corresponding day of

> The current business of the government also shows a vast improvement over that of last year. The receipts for this year are \$8,000,000 in excess of those for last year, while the expenditures show a saving of \$5,000,000 in favor of the carrent year. Thus the net

> Yesterday's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balances, \$178,836,160; gold reserve, \$58,354.101.

Old Poople.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whisky or other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price fifty cents per bottle at King & Metz's drug store.

FRED CODDINGTON'S farm dwelling in Chestnut burned, loss \$1,500. It was occupied by Thomas Storre.

COUGHING irritates the delicate organs and aggravates the disease. Instead of waiting, try One Minute Cough Cure. It helps at once, making expectoration easy, reduces the soreness and inflammation. Every one likes it. West's drug

W. Eston, aged 49, of Farmer City, has license to wed Mrs. Sarah Harps,

Ballard's Snow Liniment Will Cure Neuralgia. It will also cure Lame Back, Sore Throat, Wounds, Sprains, Bruises, Cuts, old Sores. Ladies, it will cure your back-ache. Sold i Eichinger and C. F. Schilling. Sold by J. W.

A LAD in Danville has his heart in his

No EXCU-E for sleepless nights when you can procure One Minute Cough Cure. This will relieve all annoyances, ure the most severe cough and give you rest and health. Can you afford to do without it? West's drugstore.

Capital and Labor. Capital is the only power that offers par remuneration for labor. No man BRADLEY BROS.

THIS MONTH.

Big Reduction Sale of Blankets.

200 pairs of all wool Scarlet, White and Grey Blankets, \$2.98 a pair worth \$4.00, selling at..... 100 pairs of heavy all wool Grey and White Blankets, \$3.98 a pair worth \$5. a pair, at.... Just 50 pairs of fine white, all wool, extra large Blankets, \$4.50 a pair worth \$6.50, at....

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Special January Sale of Bleached Sheets and Pillow Cases.

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Clearing Out and Making Room Bargain Sales.

Dress Goods, 15, 25, 35, 40, 50 60, 75c, worth nearly double. Blankets from 49c to \$4.75 pair. A few choice Fur Capes at 50c

on the dollar. All Cotton Goods at less than wholesale prices. Good Calicoes at 31/2c and the

est made at 5c. Muslin Underwear-A big tine at lower prices than ever known. Table Linen, Cloths, Napkins,

&c., at wholesale prices.

Now is the time to buy. As soon as spring opens nearly all kinds of dry goods will be higher. Raw cotton has doubled in price within the last 60 days, which means higher prices for spring goods. You can save big money

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,

151 EAST MAIN ST. ⊰ NEW FRONT.⊱

Special lax Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that the county court of Macon county. Illiants, has rendered judgment for special tax upon property abutting upon the following improvement, to wit The construction of a certain sower commencing at and connecting with the present sewer on Pugh street, at a point ten (10) feet east of the intersection of the alley running north and south between North Water and North Main street, and said present sewer, thence southwesterly by a gradual curve to the center line of said alley, thence south on the center line of said alley to the north line of Packard street, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office,

office.

That a warrant for the collection of such special taxes is in the hands of the undersigned.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount assessed at the collector's office, being the city clerk's office at the court house, in said city, within thirty days from the date hereof.

Dated, this ioth day of December, A. D. 1995, decit-dood P. L. HAYS, City Clerk.

Administrator's Notice. Estate of Elizabeth Hirst, Decrased.

Estate of Elizabeth Hirst, Deceased.

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Hirst, into of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the March term, on the first Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of baving the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 3d day of January, 1896.

H. D. HEIL, Administrator.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE,

In the matter of the assignment of Nathanie.

T. Watson: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed assignee of the estate of Nathaniel T. Watson, and all persons holding any claim or claims against the said Nathaniel T. Watson are hereby notified to present the same to me under oath or admastics within three months from this date, whether such claims are due or not. All persons indebted to such assignor are requested to make prompt payment of the same.

Dated this 26th day of November, 1885.

OHABLES S. HANKINS, Audgnee. ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

TASTEFUL DESIGNS



Mark all our Clothing, whether cheap or expensive.

It is all artistically cut and well made, the principal difference in price being due to the materials and linings used.

For instance, we are selling a

SUIT AT \$12.00.

We can sell you the same style and cut of course in a cheaper cloth for

_\$9.00.

CHEAP CHARLEY.

The Reliable Clothier.

1 Off Sale 25°

CUT PRICE

ON ALL HEAVY WEIGH

Suits, Overcoats, Pants, Un

Entire Stock of New, Ut

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Commencing to-day, Dec.

For Next 30 Days We All

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The regular price for CASH ONLY to a stock of fine clothing.

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The Progressive Clothiers, Hatters an Telephone 182.

Full Clamp, All Steel Ska -25c Per

Our stock is still too la will continue our Red Pri til February 1st, which nual date for taking stoc

Take advantage of this pportunity to get good g

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Grey Blankets, \$2.98 a pair White Blankets, \$3.98 a pair large Blankets, \$4.50 a pair

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CUT PRICE SALE "The Economy,"

ON ALL HEAVY WEIGHT

Suits, Overcoats, Pants, Underwear

FOR MEN AND BOYS.

Entire Stock of New, Up-to-Date

SUITS, OVERCOATS, ULSTERS

Commencing to-day, Dec. 26,

For Next 30 Days We Allow 4

The regular price for CASH ONLY to reduce our big stock of fine clothing.

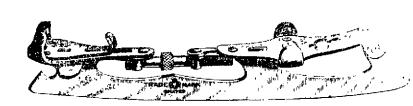
ALL GOODS MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES.

Ottenheimer & Co.

The Progressive Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers.

Telephone 182.

MASONIC TEMPLE.



Full Clamp, All Steel Skates, -25c Per Pair.

Our stock is still too large and we sugar and molasses. One year he took 8,000 pounds of honey from them, but will continue our Red Price Sale until February Ist, which is our ansatus and all other diseases of the Throat and Lungs. It gives intant date for taking stock.

Ballard's Horehound Syrup absolutely cures Bronchitis and all other diseases of the Throat and Lungs. It gives intant dief and will cure the worst cough. It is a guarant of remedy. Sold by J. W. Elchinger and C. F. Shilling. nual date for taking stock.

Take advantage of this very great Hy, has confessed to the robing of the bank at Rossville, ill., in August, 1894. The Roseville bank was robbed of \$10,000 at noon, while the cashier was at dinner. portunity to get good goods cheap.

All we want is a chance to show the goods and quote prices.

| Zel Salve will cure them. This medicine is a specific for all complaints of this character, and if instructions (which are simple) are carried out, a cure will result. We have tested this in numerous cases, and always with like results. It never fails. West's drug store. our judgment will do the rest.

H. MUELLER GUN CO.

Daily Republican

CHASE & SANBORN'S

COFFEES?

Only Sold at

FRIDAY, JAN. 10, 1896. LOCAL NEWS.

SMOKE the Defender cigar. Box and Bulk Candies at Whitley's Cigans in all sized boxes at Whitley's. WEST'S Drug Store is the original cut price drug store of Decatur.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR. IRWIN'S fragrant cream cures chapped

hands and rough skin. USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR. TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOUR,

FIFTY Two brands of fine cigars to select from at West's Drug Store. USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR.

and effective, large bottles reduced to wherever he goes.

In the county court Frank Long pleaded guilty to six counts for gaming, and was fined \$60 and costs. He went

TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOUR, The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth! new move is exactly in the right direc-

Ir you want to keep warm this winter retary and treasurer; John N Beers,

THOSE celebrated Haines Upright and holding of the 1896 fairs were agreed on Reed & Son's pianos are on sale in Decatur only at the C. B. Prescott music Bainbrid house. Step in and see them.

USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR THE Buyers' and Merchants' Benefit Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your entire living expenses. Callupon the manager L. Chodat and learn how.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR

THE service at the First Presbyterian church last evening was well attended. Service again this evening at 7:30 clock. Subject: "Families and Schools." It is requested that the members of the congregation bring an offering this evening to be distributed among the different hoads of the church.

No BETTER soft coal in this market than Lincoln or Mt. Olive. Buy it of M. F. Metz. Personally he can be found at the yard office, 800 North Broadway at the yard office, 800 North Broadway
For Broadway office, Old Phone, 433;
New Phone, 435. Also leave orders
with T. W Cann, 628 North Main, or
with Harry Metz, at King & Motz' drug
store. Hard coal. all sizes, always in
stock at market prices. Nov. 11-dti

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City, III., was told by her doctors that she had Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles Dr. King's New Discovery competely cured her and she says it saved her hife. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St., San Fran-cisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else, then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is natur ally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in Coughs and Colds. Free trial bottles at Kugha & Hubbard's Drug Store. Regularize 50c and \$100.

GEORGE POINLEXTER, of Kenney, now has ninety-three hives of bees, and has so far this winter fed them one barrel of last year he did not obtain one pound.

Bronchius.

A BANK robber captured in Louisville

lr suffering with piles, it will interest you to know that De Witt's Witch Ha-zel Salve will cure them. This medicine

Sr. Peres's German Evangelical church of Champaign has decided to build a new church and school on the lots at the corner of University avenue and Fourth etreet. The buildings will cost \$20.000.

PYTHIAN OFFICERS.

Installation by District Deputy He is Billed to Speak at the Audi-Applegate and Team at Coeur de Leon Lodge.

Leon Lodge, No. 17, Knights of Pythias, Illinois will be formally started in this lowing story of the first school held within opera block, occurred the installation city February 12th under the auspices in its classic precincts, which is of inof the newly elected officers, after the of either the Lincoln or the Marquette terest: Rank of Page had been conferred upon club, or possibly both. George DeWitt. The installing officer: The occasion is to be marked by as was W. J. Applegate, of Maroa, District much pomp and eclat as possible, and ancient institution of learning when the Deputy Grand Chanceller, who was the friends of the Ohio statesman will juvenile populace of the infant city assisted by these acting grand officers: endeavor to make the demonstration one wreatled with the intricacies of the al-J. W. Dills, A. Barndt, H. Y. Kepler, that will convince those who have been phabet and multiplication table, when Bruce Waller, David Mauch, David tieing up to other candidates, and the they suffered and plotted vengeance, and Weilipp, William Basler, all of Royal local political managers in particular, wished they had never been born. It Lodge, Maroa, and Hugh DePayne, of that they can not, even on their native was not a pretty building. It was made El Paso, Ill. The work was done in heath, hope to stem the torrent of pop. of logs. It didn't have steam heat, but capital style by this team. The officers ularity of the great apostle of high prodict had an elegant ventilation. There

Chancellor Commander-J. J. H.

Chancellor Commander—J. a Young. Yiee Chancellor—Max Atlas. Prelate—E. S. Millspaugh. M. of W.—John C. Mosher. K. of R. and S.—F. W. Wismer. M. of F.—M. Heilbrun. M. of E.—A. Kremling. M. at A.—F. A. Snyder. I. G.—Henry Roark. O. G.—Edgar N. Six. A number of impromptu add

itors, which served to further cement Illinois before the holding of the state east' and was a typical Yankee school-The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth. the bonds of friendship, charity and convention. Go to Henry Bros. bakery for all benevolence, and then all adjourned to According to the arrangements perside of the Allegheny mountains in Snarr's restaurant where oysters were fected up to date, Gov. McKinley will those days was called a "Yaukee," and

Decatur Not In It.

At a meeting of representatives of fair associations held in Indianapolis this week an Illinois-Indiana circuit was organized and the officers of the different associations represented think the USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR. tion. The officers of the new circuit USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR are: R. V. Sherrard, Farmer City, president; W. H. Duncan, Terre Haute, sec-

have Leon & Morris put in one of their Champaign, C. R. Worrel, Bloomington, celebrated Akron Air Blast Furnaces. Ind., and W. H. Morgan, Crawfordsville, They can do you a good job. oct23-dtf executive committee. Dates for the

Bainbridge, Ind.,—August 3-7. Sheridan, Ind.,—August 10-14. Farmer City—August 17-21. Champaign—August 25-28. Champaign—August 23:23.
Lafayette, Ind—Aug. 31 Sept. 4.
Crawfordsville—Sept. 7-11.
Indiana state fair—Sept. 11-18.
Terre Haute—Aug. 21-25.
Lebanon—Aug. 17-21.
Frankfort—Aug. 24-28.

New Officers. The meeting of the Nellis Lyric socity last night elected officers as follows: President—Miss Sallie Scruggs. Vice President—Troy Alexander. Sectetary—L. A. Bower. Treasurer—Mrs. Will Heilman.

Executive Committee-Mrs. Harwood leorge Dunston and Miss Lillian Crea The society is composed of the pupils

of Mrs. Nellis' and other musicians elected by the society. They meet every two weeks at Mrs. Nellis' studio in the New Fenton Block. It is the intention to give an opera later in the season.

New Officers.

night:

C. P.—C. M. Rorchers.
H. P.—Will Peters.
S. W.—J. H. Gregor.
J. W.—H. J. Votaw.
R. S.—A. W. Hendricks.
F. S.—W. H. Panis 正 S W H. Davie Treasurer.-F. P. Roddy. Inside Sentinel-W. S. Liston. Outside Sentinel—L. N. Cope. Trustees—C. M. Lytle, E. E. DeLong. J. L. Drake, Geo. F. Bell, W. R. Schroe-

Representative to Grand Encamp-ment-G. F. Bell.

Sold to Meyer & Hartten.

James Keefe yesterday sold to Meye & Hartten the two-story building at 244 North Park street, now occupied by W B. Brown's saloon, for \$8,000 cash. Meyer & Hartten yesterday commenced the with a population of 15,000. removal of their stock and fixtures from has 5,000. the building on the northeast corner of the site of the new Powers building and on Monday that building will be torn chief crops. down. They are storing their goods in the Farner building on Franklin street, and will resume pusiness as soon as they can get possession of their new property.

Illinois Scholarships.

SPRINGFIBLD, ILL., January 9.-Samuel M. Inglis, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, has issued official ircular No. 8, calling examinations at the court house in each county June 5th and 6th, 1896, to determine who

Held to Answer.

Frank Long waived examination on by the Y. M. C. A. of this city and will charges of various forgeries on which he on February 2 open a crusade against One Minute Cough Cure is rightly named. It affords instant relief from suffering when afflicted with a severe cough or cold. It acts on the throat bronchial tubes and lungs and never fails to give immediate relief. West's drug store.

Was Long's victim, and the alleged no public gambling here for five years, forged names were those of Henry but during this time poker rooms have been constantly in operation, and it is Long got about \$116, which was equantially against these that efforts will be dered at the gaming table, so it is as made. It is the expectation to close all finding store.

M'KINLEY IS COMING.

torium February 12th.

Last night at the hall of Coeur de Governor William McKinley's boom in

tective tariff.

capacity of a political advance agent of and the seate bore a striking resem-Mr. McKinley. He has made his head blance to the floor. It stood where quarters at the Union League club, and | Veide Roelfs & Co.'s hardware store from that point has been feeling the now is and was beyond the town limits. pulse of the Republican section of the David Davis was the teacher then and community hereabouts. He has been so hadn't a handle to his name, and from well pleased with the result that he has personal experience I assure you he A number of impromptu addresses advised Mr. McKinley to come on here used to make things exceedingly interwere delivered by the members and vis and speak to the people of Chicago and esting for us. Davis was from down

Call for the Bouquet and Little Rose served and the cigars were passed arrive on the date in question about in truth, Davis was called a "Yankee," and cigars, on sale nearly everywhere in the To-night and to-morrow night District It is expected the governor will receive Pekin in 1834. Pekin had a pretty hard Deputy Applegate will install the off- a public ovation on his way. He will de name then, in fact it was known as the cers at Oreana and Argenta, which will liver a public address in the evening at toughest town on the river, which, by complete his duties for January. He is the Auditorium and it is believed that the way, indicated depths of iniquity an earnest, prinstaking and thoroughly by the time the day's proceedings will almost unfathomable. The murches IRWIN'S Fig laxative syrup is pleasant efficient official who makes friends have concluded the booms of one or two across the river, which are now the richatatesmen who have been hugging them- est farms in the state, were then the selves in the belief that they had a breeding places for malaria, and during cinch on Illinois will have pretty thor- the fall the largest portion of the comoughly collapsed.

there are also rumors of a visit from came in for an uttack, complicated with Speaker Reed some time next month, other ailments. He was very ill, and and the name of Gov. Morton, of New owes a debt of gratitude to "Aunt" York, has also been put in circulation as Jane and "Uncle" Bill Tinney, whose possible visitor in the near future.

From all appearances therefore, it seems likely that Illinois and Chicago ied law and advanced rapidly from will, during the early spring and sum- schoolmaster to lawyer, lawyer to cirmer, be the political storm-centers of the cust judge, United States senator and The W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held yesterday afternoon at the hall in Library Block. Reports were given by the officers and superintendents of the different departments of the society. Mrs. C. Bendics reported the work that had been done. There was soldom less than eight or ten by the evangelical department. The members have visited persons in their homes, and have distributed over 2000 pages of literature. Mrs. Coleman reported on the work of the department in those days giann was shipped in bage on narcotics. The work of this de

bobacco, and see to that the laws relating of grain will make. Those were good to the sale of tobacco are enforced. Among other reports was one given by Mrs. Baker on the work of the jail and prison department. The members of this branch of the union have held meetings in the county jail the first Sunday in each month. Miss Maud Aikin reported that the flower mission had sent flowers to sick persons, and Mrs. Pitner reported on the work that her lack of enterprise in road making, had been done by the temperance liter and the sooner we get at it in earnest Decatur Encampment, No. 37, I.O.O ary department. The finances of the F., installed the following officers last union are in a good condition. The meetings held here by Miss Downey were quite successful and as a result 28 new imembers have been admitted to the union.

The Land of the Boers.

Gold was discovered there in 1886 Finished or in progress are 3,700 miles of telegruph.

Country has been enjoying its indenendence since 1852. In 1884 a convention at London recog

nized the republic. Two-thirds of the Christians belong o the Dutch Reform church.

"Transvaal" means "across the vaal," or the country north of the Vaal river. The largest town is Johnnesburg,

There are about twenty thousand farms, wheat and tobacco being the It is there that the famed testee fly,

whose bite is death to oxen and horses is must prevalent. Population is 679,200; the whitee num-

ber 119,128, and about half of these are of Dutch descent. The area of Transvaal is 121,854 square

miles, or about that of Illinois, Iowa and

Massachusetts combined. In parts of the country the climate revembles that of Colorado, and is regarded as healthful for consumptives. The legislature consists of two bodies

of 24 members each, one-half retiring every two years. The president's term

To Fight Gambling. PROBIA, ILL., Jan. 9 .- C. M. Murphy In Justice Hardy's court yesterday and John P. Quinn have been engaged

secured small amounts. J. E. Osborne gambling in this city. There has been was Long's victim, and the alleged no public gambling here for five years,

PEKIN'S FIRST SCHOOL.

It Was Held in a Log Cabin and Hon. David Davis Was

The Pekin Post recently told the fol-"The first school house in Pekin. What

a vista of years stretches away to that were cracks you could run your arm For some weeks past Gen. William through between the logs. The floor Osborne of Boston has been here in the was of split logs with the flat side up master. All who came from the eastern munity were annually laid up with the With the story of McKinley's coming ague. In the summer of 1835 Mr. Davie careful nursing pulled him through. Soon after he gave up the school, studassociate justice of the Supreme court. "Pekin was away ahead of Peoria and

Bloomington then. We had the first flour mill, the first distillery and first bank, which, by the way, was the only one between Chicago and Springfield for years. The river was our highway of trade to St. Louis and, when the canal was afterward built, to Chicago. bouts at the landing. I remember a big New Orleans boat which came up here and in less than twenty four hours wo put 10,000 seems of grain on board, for on narcotics. The work of this de and the people of to day have no partment is to try to prevent the use of idea what a mountain 10,000 bags old days. I remember the Great Republic. She was 8,000 tons burden and was 350 feet long. Pekin's inland trace was immense. Grain and hogs were brought here from as far south as Clinton and east as far as Leroy and Champaign. There is one vital point for which Pekin herself is to blame, in the diversion of trade to Peoris, and that is

Fired Him Quick.

DECATUR, IND , Jan. 6.- During the evivals here the last week, Samuel Fisher joined the Saints' Church.

One of the rules of this church is Brother shall kiss brother, and sister Not knowing this. Fisher met a young sister of the church on the street yesterday and almost before sho was aware of it threw his arms around her and kissed her.

She at once reported him to the church, and to day be was expelled.

At the home of the groom, 664 North Main street, by Rev. R. G. Holbs, January 9, Theron Smith and Miss Ella Glosser. At Springfield, Jan. 9, by Judge Kane, John H. Dieckman, of Effingham, and Mrs. Maria V. Spence.
The couple will reside at 1500 North Water

At his office by Justice Shorb, Jan 9, Amos Waggoner, of Sullivan, and Mrs. Catherine Darmer, of Decatur.

DIED

At the family home southwest of the city, on January 9, after a protracted litness, Little Martin, the invalid daughter of Herman Martin, aged 3 years and 8 months.

The functional will be held to make the contract of the held to make the contract of the second The funeral will be held to me Dr. Penhaliegon officiating.

DR. L. E. COONBADT, Dentist, rooms aug 24-dtf 42 and 43, Feuton block.

Awarded Highest Honors-World's Fair.

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pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

HAVE YOU TRIED



FRIDAY, JAN. 10, 1896.

About the Colored People.

DECATUR, Ill., Jan. 9, 1896. a morning paper Overseer Hane, in speaking of the county charges, makes the statement that at least one-third of

to their number and general wel-fare. I am in a position to know something of their conditions. An organization of colored people in this city a short time since sent out a committee to take the census of the colored population and learn as much as practi cable their general conditions. This list of 635 names with an estimated pop-

Now in order that Mr. Hane may bear have at least 210 names of colored people on his fist who look to the county for support; unless he can produce these igures, it is due to the colored people an acknowledgment that he made a decided mistake.

The colored people are willing to ad-

mit that there are some few families that are dependent on the county for support, some of these are worthy and others worthless. But they are not willing to have the impression prevail of their number.

As one of the race I feel that the col-

ored people have been grossly misrepresented and it falls to the duty of Mr. Hane to publish the facts of the same.

EDWARD JACOBS,

BILLIARD PHENOMENON.

Chicago Tot Plays a Star Game, Although ot as High as the Table.

Lacuta Shelenberger is a little flaxenhaired girl of seven years whose in ther is engaged in the manufacture of billiard and pool tables. They live at 910 47th street, Hyde Park, Chicago Lacuta is so small that she can scarcely look over a billiard table, yet she can play a game of billiards with marvel-ous dexterity. She can actually make "run" of a larger number than she is able to count. It is not an uncommon thing for her to go to a billiard table and play pool with a perfect stranger, making every ball on the table in one game. The little girl nas been playing pool and billiards for



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skates or a bicycle. Her amusement lies solely in handling the cue. She uses a 15-ounce cue. Santa Claus gave roa, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and her for Christmas a beautiful hand- Mrs. Jacob Hanes. carved resewood cue, which is inleid with white holly, ebony and mahogany, and her name is engraved in a pearl

plate on the handle. Lacuta has heard of Arthur Krueger, the boy pool-player, and she says she would like to make a match with him. Mr. Akam, president of the Akem

Manufacturing company of Chicago, who has seen the child play, says: She is remarkable. I think she can beat anything in the way of a woman billiard player. I believe she is able to beat almost any of our local pool champions. Of course, she hasn't the faculty of calculating positions like a person of mature age or an experienced player, but she appears to have a natural ability to make points,"

W. J. Chew has sold a half interest in street to J. B. Robinson, lately with the Young Bros. & Maris company. The style of the new firm will be Chew &

Mrs. India Hill left this morning for



Sensational Death at Taylorville Early This Morning.

man Slater, of the First National, Puta Bulfet in Ills Brain.

TAYLORVILLE, ILL., January 10 .-- The people of this community were startled

well known to the business men of the city and farmers of this county, firing a builet into his brain. The fatal ders on the the treasurer: shot was fired at about 7:30 a. m., but Moses A. Stare. the body was not discovered until about | D. Martin & Co. . . . an hour later, when the sister of the de- Herald-Despatch Co the colored in this city are dependent on the county for help.

Having made a study of the colored population in this city as Lyman Slater for 19 years had been the colored population. ceased, Miss Mary Slater, arrived at Huff Bros. Lumber and Planing Mill Co

Lyman Slater for 19 years had been connected with the banking house of Morehouse & Wells Co.... Vandeveer & Co., for a greater part of the time as cashier. A year ago he left and went to the First National Bank where he held the position of cashier. The new system of banking at his new Field & Wilson .. place was strange to Slater, and the Mrs. Haworth moved that the sup names of the patrons of the bank were intendent be instructed to represent the not familiar to him. He became ill and in a measure discouraged. Then his mother died and he became despondent. ida, on the 18th, 19th and 20th of Feb-The officers of the bank suggested that ruary, 1896, and that a sum not exceed-Slater should take a rest and go west,

Yesterday he went to Springfield on a freight train to visit his brother in law, Marion May asked that his son be al-John G. Drennan. While at the state lowed to attend the Wood street school that the county is supporting 200 to 300 capital he bought a vial of laudaoum at although he lived in the adjoining the Diller drug store, evidently with suicidal intent. He had promised on his return to Taylorville in the evening to call at a friend's house went home alone to take his life. He did not use the poison. The revolver

PERSONAL MENTION.

John Samuels has gone to Ohio. E. W. Hill has returned from Chicago. J. W. Race has returned from Chi-

Miss Callie Rich is in White Hall vis-

Dr. O. R. Allen is ill at his home on

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Miss Edith Lytle went to Kansas City last night to visit friends. A. Barnes, O. Zimmerman and Harry

Starr went to Chicago last right. Mrs. H. W. Downing is confined her bed with an attack of pleurisy.

F. T. Hanks, of Marshall, Ill., is in he city visiting his brother, R. G. Hanks.

re'atives.
Mrs. Lillian Stoutenborough, of Ma-

W. J. Applegate and David Weilipp,

of Maroa and family last evening. Misses Lillie and Jennie Drew have

returned home from a two weeks' visit with friends at Weldon, Ill. Mrs. Elsie Birch, of Olney, is in the city the guest of her friend, Miss Elma,

agy, of East Prairie street. Mrs. Docia Bishop has returned home rom Emporia, Kan, where sh ailed to care for her mother through her illness.

Mert Gross, formerly of this city, who ployed on a Cincinnati newspape

Miss Cordie Underwood has resigned her position as bookkeeper at A. F. Gebhart's store and Mrs. Dr. Yockey has taken ber place.

Mrs. Harry W. Lytle and daughter. Mrs. Arthur Flood, who has been in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hanes, left to-day for her

Indiana to fill an engagement to lecture for the spiritualists of Lafayette and Bush Creek.

E. L. Norcross, for thirty years superflower. Light, \$3.000. Market intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light, \$3.000. Market intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light, \$3.000. Market intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light, \$3.000. Market intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light, \$3.000. Market intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light, \$3.000. Market intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light, \$3.000. Market intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light, \$3.000. Market intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light, \$3.000. Market intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light, \$3.000. Market intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light, \$3.000. Market intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light, \$3.000. Market intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light, \$3.000. Market intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light, \$3.000. Market intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light, \$3.000. Market intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light, \$3.000. Market intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light, \$3.000. Market intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light intendent intendent of the Western Union Telestoner. Light intendent intende graph company at Terre Haute, is in the ity to-day, registered at the Central

> T. I. Rude, bill clerk at the Illinois Central, will leave in a few days for St. Louis where he will visit friends and relatives for a few days. Mrs. Rude will ecompany her husband and remain for

Charles Imboden, elder son of C. M.
Imboden, and member of the fourth
year class at the High School, will soon
enter the employ of J. Millikin & Co.,
bankers, as an assistant bookkeper.
Charley is an addition the regular force.

The following are the recommendation of C. M.
Cows and Heiters.

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Charles School, will soon
Expert Cattle.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Official Report.

DLCATUR, ILL., Jan. 9, 1895. Present, Mrs. Mary E. Haworth. Mr. John Ullrich, and the clerk, E. A. Gastman. Absent, Mr. David S. Shellabarger.

The minutes of two meetings were read and approved, The treasurer's report for the month

of December was compared and apand shocked to-day on learning that The superintendent's report of the

Lyman Slater, aged 34 years, so receipts and expenditures of the tuition fund for the month of December was compared and approved. The following bills were ordered paid

had committed suicide at his home, by and the clerk was directed to draw or

Decatur schools at a meeting of the United States Superintendent's Associ ation to be held in Jacksonville, Flor ing \$75 be appropriated to pay his actual traveling expenses. The motion The superintendent reported that Mr.

upon the table.

JOHN ULRICH, Pres. Pro Tem. E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk.

RICH GOLD FINDS.

Reports from Colorado of Discoveries Equalling Those in

Boulder, Colo., Jan. 8 .-- Intense exafternoon. Slater was a single man, Boulder Creek and Magnolia, and there His accounts were all straight at the are rumors of riches being uncovered by prospectors in holes not over 5 feet deep. One strike is alleged to be worth \$100,000, and an offer of this amount is said to have been made and refused.

Frank D. Baker came down from Walker's ranch, where the discoveries J. W. Race has returned from Chicago.

George Cake, of Maysville, Ky., is in the city.

W. C. Rowe is in Monticello to-ay on business. usiness.

Sherry Tuttle is in Danville to-day on was sticking out all over the quartz, and no accurate estimate could be formed of the value of the stuff, but it will be sold by the pound instead of ton. The pannings made from the ore are said to Miss Berite Davis is visiting friends in be wonderful, as great rings of gold form around the pan with each test of wash.

> The prospectors are wild over the outlook for a great mining boom, and about 500 men are working night and day in search of veius.

The new gold discoveries are on the same mineral belt as the rich Telluride mines of Ballarat, Jamestown and Gold Hill, Sunshine, Sama and Magnolia. In Harry Fiske, ir., will go to Blooming each of these districts mineral has been ton this evening or to-morrow morning. uncovered at the grass roots. uncovered at the grass roots.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH. CRICAGO, Ill., Jan. 10, 1896

Mrs. Isaac Claypool has returned to her home in Marshall, after a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Lullian Stoutenhorough of Ma.

The Republican is indebted to B. Z. Taylor dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents to Chicago, New York, Milmeapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations:

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Oats -121. Retirected 134- a year age 144								

Wheat, 53; Corn. 519, osts, 180. Receipts at Minneapolis to-day were 509, and Trade in wheat was good and the

Trade in corn was good; though the range Oats opened a little lower, with a good trade and fairly active market; narrow and feature

Cattle receipts 6,000, market steady Cathe receipts 5,000, markes steady.

LONDON, 1 p. m — Off coast, wheat and corn nothing doing. On massage: Wheat and corn firm but not active. Eachsh and French country markets firm Weather in England froty. Russian shipments: Wheat 302,000 qrs.; corn 23,600 are

LIVERPOOL, 1 p, m.-Wheat and corn: Spo quiet; futures steady.
DECATUR STOCK MARKET.

INN& SCRUGGS DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY.

Prices Cut Deeper Than Ever!

Everything must be sold and sold quick, on account of removal.

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Ladies' Kid Gloves
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Ladies' Silk Hose, worth \$1.00 pair, at
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Ladies' Cashmere Gloves at
Shawl Fascinators
Ladies' Leggings49c
Ladies' Fancy Aprons at
Children's Apron Dresses at
Fancy Dotted Swiss, worth 60c, at
Scotch Ginghams, worth 25c, at
Men's Percale Shirts, collars and cuffs separate, worth \$1.00, at
Ladies' Corduroy and Flannel Shirt Waists95c
Remnants of Dress Goods you can buy at your own price, all marked less than half price.
48-inch Black Serge, all wool, worth 1.00, at
Ladies' Fancy Neckwear cut one-half; silk collars49c
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Ladies' High Class Capes.....

COME AND GET THEM

WE are now into our clearing up sale preparatory to the annual invoice on March 1st, and we do not want to invoice any more goods on than we have to. We have determined to sell so many of these goods that we shall have a less invoice than would now seem likely. We are going to make prices that will move these goods and move them right away. We quote on standard late style shoes lower prices than you can obtain anywhere. For instance we will sell you a choice line of men's enameled calf shoes, invisible cork sole, that have been selling at \$5 per pair and were well worth the money--we will sell you all you want at \$3.50 per pair.

All of Hanan & Son's men's fine shoes sold regularly at \$5, we will sell you all you want at \$3.50 per pair.

Edwin C. Burt ladies' fine shoes, enameled calf, hand sewed, regular \$5 grade, at \$3.50 per pair.

We have about 300 pairs of ladies' shoes in all grades, in plain toes, sizes 2 1-2 to 3 only, they sold all the way from \$2 to \$5 per pair, but if we can fit you we will sell you as many pairs as you will take at only 69c per pair.

Come after these bargains right now when you can be sure to get the size, style and width that you want. People will buy want to be an early buyer.

F. H. COLE SHOE CO., B. F. BOBO, Manager.

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148 East Main Street.

Being Rapidly Pushed Forward Preparing to Strike a Swift Blow Against Any Enemy.

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LIGHT IS BREAKING.

The Tension in the Relations Between England and Germany

Meantime Preparations for the Worst are Being Rapidly Pushed Forward-Proparing to Strike a Swift Blow Against Any Enemy.

London, Jan. 9.—Dispatches from Cape Colony continue to dribble in, but the freshest of them received to-day was two slays old, showing that the telegraph and cable companies are cither clearing up the accumulation of old business or that the government still refuses to allow the transmission of news dispatches.

Much interest is manifested here in the receipt of intelligence that will show the attitude of Hon. Cecil Rhodes, lately prime minister of Cape sary. The joint resolution was re-Colony, who is strongly suspected of ferred to the committee on foreign rehaving much to do with the dispatch lations, and the senate, at 4:10, adof Dr. Jamieson's force to the Transvaal. But until the normal condition of the telegraphic service is resumed nothing on this point can be stated definitely, and nothing but speculation can be indulged in.

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FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

(First Session.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.-The house bond bill, with the free coinage substitute for it reported from the commitee on finance, was to have engaged THOUGHT TO BE GRADUALLY RELAXING the attention of the sense to the sen (rep., Kan.), in favor of an application of the Monroe doctrine, and an hour and three quarters, speech by Mr. Stewart (pop., Nev.), on the financial question, prevented the taking up of the bond bill until so late an hour that Mr. Jones (dem., Ark.) preferred to withhold his opening speech until to-

Mr. Baker's speech—his first in the senate chamber—had for its text and ground-work a joint resolution, introduced by him. declaring that the ex-tension by any European power of its territorial limits on the western hemisphere, whether by war, treaty, purchase or otherwise, without the con-sent of the United States, will be resent of the United States, will be regarded as an unfriendly act. In his speech he declared that that position should be maintained by war, if necessary. The joint resolution was results in the price, 20c, puts it is invaligable. A bottle should be in every loose in Deester, and the price, 20c, puts it within the reach of all.

HOUSE.

For some reason not apparent on the surface, the committee on rules did not to-day report the changes it proposed to make in the code of the fifty first congress, under which the house has so far been operating, although now in print. Mr. Henderson (rep., Ia.) gave notice that he would make the

report to-morrow.

Mr. Blue (rep., Kan.), reported the general pension appropriation bill for the year cuding June 30, 1897, and gave notice that he would call it up after the report of the committee on rules had been disposed of.

A concurrent resolution was offered for immediate consideration by Mr. Livingston (dem., Ga.) but Mr Boutelle objected. It called upon the pres ident to investigate the report that Great Britain had advanced her outposts on the Venezneian, frontier, and posts on the Venezuelan frontier, and WANTED-A good girl to do general house-demand a withdrawal of them to the lines occupied on December 17, 1895. street.

WANTED-A good girl to do general house-quired. Mrs. W. B. Elwood, 724 West William street. The resolution went to the committee on foreign affairs.

A resolution offered by Mr. Bingham (rep., Pa.), and approved by the committee on appropriations, was agreed to, calling upon the secretary of the treasury for a statement of the reasons of location, west side Lincoln Square. Drop in and have your rough beard removed. Oct 21-dif

the mint building at Philadelphia. After a session of 25 minutes, the

house adjourned until to-morrow. POLICE CORRUPTION.

Further Developments in Philadelphia's "Lexow" Investigation.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 10.-The protection by the police of "speak-easies" and policy shops, the brutal conduct of policemen and the discharge of employes from the city departments because they did not factionally agree with their superiors, was brought out yesterday afternoon at the meeting of the senatorial investigating commit-

Ex-Policeman George Slook, Sr., tes tified to having received, together with Speical Officer Martin and other policemen, sums of money which were paid to them for protection by proprietors of "policy shops" and "speak easies." The witness further stated Thayer.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One of the best parallel to them for protection by proprieting contectionary stores and camby manufactories in the city. The reason for selling is adding health, and that only. Campbell & jan9 diw that Martin was indicted in October, 1894, for an alleged bribery in January, 1892, but that the case against him was dismissed last month on the ground that the time for the prosecution had expired by "statute limitation."

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.-The trial the contumacious witness, Bracer Chapman, of New York, was resumed yesterday. Senator Jones, of Arkansas, testified in reference to the amendment to the sugar clause introduced by him, which, it is alleged, caused the advance in sugar stock.

Senator Gray testified that he had never been able to find the original subpæna of the committee to Chapman. A copy of the alleged subpontations was admitted by the court, despite ob jections of counsel for the defense So far in the trial all objections of the district attorney have been sustained and those of the defense overruled. The prosecution expects to complete its evidence this afternoon.

Funeral of Prince Alexander of Prussia BEHLIN, Jan. 10. - The funeral of Prince Alexander of Prussia, who died in Berlin on January 4, took place in the cathedral here yesterday. Among those present in the cathedral were the emperor and empress, ex-Empress Frederick, Prince and Princess Freder ick Leopold, of Prussia, the member ick Leopold, of Prussia, the members of the diplomatic corps, members of the bundesrath, members of the imperial and Prussian ministries and a number of generals in the German

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High School Building Burned.

MICHIGAN CIFY, Ind., Jan. 18.-The Michigan Ciff, Ind., Jam. 18.—1 ne city high school building was totally destroyed by fire. A valuable library and laboratory, together with the greater part of the furniture, went to the furniture, went to the hours, is a.m. to 7:30 p. m. First stairway north of Brunswick hotel. febia-dif with the building. Loss, \$50,000; insurance, \$30,000. Nearly all the books Rooms 1 and 2, third floor, Review Building, North Main street.

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E. B. DIMOCK. aug 13-d&wtf

FOR SALE-80x182 fine building lot, east front on North Church street; can be bought for 880 if sold this month, on account of closhur partnership business. This is a snap; look it up. Peter H. Brucck, Real Estite Broker, 255 North Main street.

FOR SALE—Nice lot, 49,182 on North Union street, fronts east. \$575 buys it; owner wants money. This lot will be worth \$500 in the spring. I ave borse and buggy at effice to show you the property. Peter H. Brueck, Real Estate Broker, 25 North Main street. Nov 15-dif

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nice east front building lots, 40x182 each, up
North Church street. One-half cash, balance
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North Main. nov15-dtf

POR SALE-550 cash and 25 monthly payments I of \$10 cach, no interest, will buy a handsome building tol, cast front, on North Church street. What more can you ask? Peter H. Brueck, real estate broker, 255 North Main street. nov15-dti

FOR SALE—Bed Room Sets, Parior Suits, Chairs, Rockers, Cook Stoves, Heating Stoves, Couches, Bed Lounges, Iron Beds, Carpets, Baby Buggies, and Household Goods of every description. Also the entire stock of Harry Flsk's Furniture at the very lowest cash urlees. Decaur Auction Company, Ho Narth Franklin street.

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50.50 ft lot, 4 room house, barn, on West Macon street, a snap. 7-room nudern house on North Edward at a

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Administrator's Notice. Estate of Andrew Wayts, deceased,

Estate of Anorew Ways, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Andrew Ways, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, her by gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the March term, on the first Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

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The PALACE

MERRY CHRISTMAS! Well, we should say so! Delighted crowds thronged our store Monday and Tuesday from early morning till late at night, notwithstanding the false and malicious reports circulated by crippled competitors. They might as well try to turn back the waters of Niagara Falls as to

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year, we wish you all a happy New Year.

30c per Bushel.

Five cars northern potatoes, Rose, for 3-pound bucket Cottoline. Burbank, White Star and Beauty He 45c brus. All go next week at 30c per bushel. Fine. large and mealy.

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per can for good Corn. for 50 pounds of good Baking Flour.

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25c per package Preston's California Break fast Food. for 8 bars Lenox Soap. 15c

per package Preston's Pancake Flour. per pound for White Clover Honey. 25c 60c

for 2-gallon bucket White Drip Syrup, for 5 pound best Cleaned Currants. **25**c \$1.75

for 2 cans of best Peas. for 5-gallon keg New Sorghum. 25c 38c for one gallon New Sorghum.

lc 20c per sack Peanuts. per gallon new Sauerkraut.

for 4 packages New Mince Meat per can for Eagle Canned Milk.

for 2 pounds of home-made Mince Meat for a can Hiland Vap. Cream. 10c

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State of Illinois, Macon county, ss. The Board of Supervisors of Macon county met at the court house in the city of Decafur on the 10th day of December, A. D. 1895, at 1:30 o'clock, p. m.

Present, Supervisors Bean, Bullard, Connard, Davidson, Davis, Dickson, Draper, prench, Haues, Hockaday, Hollinger, Johnson, Kipp, May, Moffett, Muirhead, Nowlin, Scott, Spence, Stoy, Thrift, Walker and Weilepp.

Dec. 10, 1995.

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There is in the hands of county

he brought up the matter of old county bonds, which have been lost for a number of years and which are as yet unpuid. On motion the matter was referred to Finance committee for investigation.

Mr. Nowlio moved that the election of steward of poor farm and of county physician be made a special order of business for Thursday, Dec. 12, at 2 o'clock p. m. Motion cerried.

Mr. Draper moved the selection of grand jurous for next term by made a special order of business to morrow at 2 o'clock p. m. Motion prevailed.

Mr. S.

of business to morrow at 2 o clock p.

Motion prevailed.

Mr. Johnson moved the fee and salary committee fix the salary of steward of poor farm and of county physician for ensuing year and report at 1:30 o'clock p. m.,

Thursday, Dec. 12. Carried.

The semi annual report of E. W. MeOlellan, circuit clerk for the half year ending Nov. 30, 1895, was read and on motion of Mr. Connard referred to Fee and Salary committee.

Salary committee.

The semi-annual report of J. M. Dodd. county clerk, and of Chas. H. Patterson, treasurer for the half year ending Nov. 30, 1895, were read and referred to committee on Fees and relaries.

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in the matter of the leaning of county orders was referred to the committee our miscellaneous claims on motion of Mr.

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J. M. Dodd, county clerk.

Second day, December Term, Dec. 11, 1895.

Morning Session.

Morning Session.

The Board of Supervisors met at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, all members being present except Supervisor Griffin the Board proceeded to business.

Hon. Wm. H. Bean, chairman.

J. M. Dodd, clerk.

J. P. Nicholsen, sheriff.

Minutes of preceding neeting were read and on motion of Mr. Spence approved.

A communication from James S. Mc-Oullough, county clerk of Champaigo county, in reference to claim of J. M. Lawson against the county was read and referred to judiciary committee on motion of Mr. Moffott.

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city clerk in reference to a special assessment in favor of Ony of Decatur for \$1.0 on East Main street sewer was read and on motion of Mr. May referred to Judici-

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A communication from Chas. H. Patterson, county treasurer, requesting that as order be drawn in favor of court house bond interest tund for \$19.79 in order to meet obligation due in New York Jan. 1, 1896 was read and on motion of Mr. May was ordered drawn.

A communication from Citizen's Mutual Telephone commany was read on metion of

ges on motion of Mr. Thrift.

Claims against the county were read and referred to appropriate committees on motion of Mr. Johnson. hasing committee made the following report which was approved on mo-tion of Mr. French:
The Hon. Chairman and Board of Super-

visors. Gentlemen: Your Purchasing Commit-dee to whom was referred the matter of pur-chasing a flag staff and flag for our court that her leave to report that the bid of

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Mt. Zion—D. C. Davidson.
Nuntic—John J. Graves.
Oakley—John Huff.
Pleasant View—Daniel Heidelbaugh,
South Macon—Frank Hoovey, Adam

meeting.

W. T. Moffett,
Jacob Hanes,
C. H. Scott,
F. May,
C. A. Thrift.

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Gentlemen: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred the matter of the Gamuel Stabler, basi if serv.

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al claimants, to-wit:
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G. W. Scovill, chairs county clerk...
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J. W. Elchinger, county superin-

at 1:30 o'clock, p. m.

Present, Supervisors Bean, Bullard, Connard, Davidson, Davie, May, Moffett, Molinger, Johnson, Kipp,
Absent, Supervisors Griffin, Lockhart.

A unorum being present the board proceeded to business.

I. M. Dodd, clerk.

I. M. Dodd J. A. Davidson, Chairman. read and approved on motion of Mr. Our mark communication from John H. Piper was read but no action taken.

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The Finance committee is made the following report which was approved on motion of Mr. Walker were referred to appropriate committee.

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The Fee and Salary committee made the following report which was approved on motion of Mr. Johnson.

To the honorable chairman and hoard of supervisors: Your Fees and Salary committee to whom was referred the question of the salaries of steward of poor farm and county physician for the earling year would recommend that the salary of the steward be fixed at \$1.000 and that of the county physician. \$600.

W. T. Mollett,
J. A. Davidson.

Communication of H C. Montgomery
ex-county treasurer, requesting that the
treasurer be instructed to withhold the entry of the item which he had paid into the
treasury, until after the March meeting,
was read and on motion of Mr. Modett
the request was granted, and the treasurer is
so ordered.

The committee on many treasurer is

oral chimants, to wit:

J. D. Keller, miscellaneous, \$ 52 40 \$ 52 40

Chas. H. Patterson miscellaneous, \$ 20 40 20 40

The fift was approved.

To the Honorable Chairman and Board of To the Honorable Chairman and Board of Gentlemen: Your committee on Fees and Salary Committee.

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Mr. Moffett moved the sheriff's fee in the execution of O. N. Smith be fixed at execution

physician, \$600.

O. H. Draper,
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The committee on miscellaneous claims
made the following report which on motion
of Mr. Davidoon was approved.
Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Board
of Supervisors:
Your committee on Miscellaneous Claims
would beg leave to report that they have ex
amined all claims presented before them,
and recommend the payment of the followling, and that the cleik be directed to issue
orders for the several amounts to the
serial claimants, to wit:

J. D. Reller, miscellaneous-3, 52, 40, \$52, 40

was declared the county physician iconsisting year.

The Public Building committee made the following report which on motion of Mr. May was approved.

Your committee find we have one telephone at poor farm and believe one auticient at the precent time.

Respectfully submitted,

H. F. May.

Ross Hockaday.

James Hollinger.

O. H. Draper.

J. F. Muthend.

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Foot, \$12; total \$831.19. M. A. Connerd, Chairman, Davis. Dickson.

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which sum your committee would recommend he be and is fereby instructed to pay into the county treasury.

C. A. Thrift.
G. H. Draper.
W. T. Moffett.
Fees and Salary committee.
The committee on Pauper and Poor Farm chalms made the following report which was approved on motion of Mr. Spence.
Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Board of Supervisors:
Your committee on Pauper.

At the Dickson.
Mr. Moffett presented the following resort into make adopted on motion of Mr. Revolved by this Board that the committee on fees and Salaries be instructed to the out of the county and make settlement, with the same for the past year and direct the balance due the county it any paid into the treasury to be done at the earliest convenience of said committee.

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over 1 or 1000, \$3/9 25; of presentation to this Board (which is this date) to such time as this Board may take action on the same and for such of the bonds as may be found due and unnaid.

Mr. Connard moved the chairman enter incommentation to this Board may take bonds as may be found due and unnaid.

Mr. Connard moved the chairman enter into contract with the steward of the poor farm and county physician for the easing year and receive bonds for the faithful performance of their duty. His motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Moffett the county for poor, \$3/25, 0 on of affairs in reference to outstanding bonds, before the next meeting of the Mr. Moffett moved a recess of 15 minutes.

Foot, \$12; total \$831.19. M. A. Connard, Chairman, Davis. Davis. Dickson. fixed at Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Board

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Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Board of Supervisors:

Your committee on Paupers and Poor Farm claims would beg leave to report that they have examined all claims presented before them, and recommend the payment of the following, and that the clerk be directed to issue orders for the several amounts of the several claimants, to-wit: W. H. the shie. goods for poor, \$19.50; J. B. Fritz, same, \$66.50; Walter Enlac, care of poor, \$6. J. L. Connolly, and serv. \$19; J. L. Connolly, same, \$7; Echus and Ruddock, goods for poor, \$12; Wm. Niedermeper, same, \$17.25; Yuung Bros. & Maris Co., goods for poor, \$12.55; Henry Lyon, goods for poor, \$12.50; E. Schoenle, same \$37; Decalure \$5.05; E. Schoenle, same \$12.50; Farmere \$5.05; E. D. David Weilepp, conveying serve, \$15.50; David Weilepp, conveying serve, \$15.50; David Weilepp, conveying serve, \$15.50; E. Schoenle, \$10.25; J. Duon Merc. Co., goods for poor, \$10.25; J. Duon Merc. Co., goods for poor, \$10.25; J. Duon Merc. Co., goods for poor, \$10.25; J. Duon Co., same, \$11.32; Riddell & Letts, same, \$12, \$100; Young bres. & Maris, same, \$20; To. Ramere \$100; Young bres. & Maris, same, \$20; To. Ramere \$100; Young bres. & Maris, same, \$20; To. Ramere \$100; Young bres. & Maris, same, \$20; To. Ramere \$100; Young bres. & Maris, same, \$20; To. Same, \$100; Young bres. & Maris, same, \$20; To. Same, \$10; Young bres. & Maris, same, \$20; To. Same, \$10; Young bres. & Maris, same, \$20; To. Same, \$10; Young bres. & Maris, Same, \$20; Young bres. & Maris, Same, \$20; Young bres. & Maris, Same, \$20; Young bres. &

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A. R. Barber, goods for poor \$1.40: Dr. M. V. Lordram, med. serv., \$3; J. A. Clesins, goods for poor, \$4.75; Decatur Cracker Co., same, \$10: I. W. Ebrinan, same, \$9.19; Linn & Ser 1235 D. G. & U. Co. poor farm, \$42.27; Wikkoff & Reeve, burial of pauper, \$8; Beschle & Gloson, 1900s for poor, \$14; W. R. Bogze, med, attection, \$3.25; Allen Taberd, care poor, \$6: 15. W. Ryan, M. D., med. serv., \$21.50; G. W. Drury, M. D., same, \$10: Young Bros. & Maris Co. goods for poor farm, \$45.18; J. W. Walker, same. \$9.10; M. F. Conn. goods for poor, \$24.6; Emma J. Kreager, 1907s may poor, \$21.5; Jr. A. R. May, med. serv., \$14.25; J. F. Allen, same, \$22.75; V. H. Parke & Son, coal for poor, \$2.25; Mittered. Harke & Son, coal for poor, \$2.25; Mit-thell & Furguson, 200 s for poor, \$38; Freeman Bros., same, \$37.35; Industrial re-our, care of inmates, \$126,32; total

M. A. Connard, Chm. Dickson.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Board

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M. A. Connard, Chm.

Dickson. In the matter of claims of Champaign in the matter of claims of changes county for keeping paoper, your committee binds that this person claimed as a paoper is not and has not been a resluent of Macon county, and that the county clerk of Macon county he instructed to so inform the county clerk of Champaign county.

M. A. Connard,

Mr. Moffett presented the following reso-ution which was adopted on motion of Mr.

tesolved by this Board that the commit-tee on Fees and Salaries be instructed to cheek up the accounts of the respective offi-cers of the county and make settlement with the same for the past year and direct the belance due the county if any paid into the treasury to be done at the earliest con-venience of said committee. enience of said committee.

renience of said committee.

The following resolution was presented:
To the Chairman and Board of Supervisors:
Gentlemen: Be it recoived that the allowance of the theriff for feeding prisoners be changed from 40c to 35c per day and be it further it solved that the, board take increases and in Sinnel.

Mr. Weilepp moved the adoption of the

Mr. Johnson moved to amend by insert-ing the words, Monday Wednesday and Friday of each week until 1 o'clock p. m., in place of the words, each day of the week until 1 o'clock p. m., amendment prevail-

Mr. Moffett presented the following resolution which was adopted on motion of Mr. Thrift. Resolved by this Board that this county's

faith be pledged for the payment of 6 per cent interest on the county bonds now be-fore the Board for payment, from the time of precentation to this Board (which is this

for poor, \$3 25; O. bonds, before the next meeting of use for toor \$5; W. B. Board.

C. E. Turpin, goods

be taken. Motion carried.

On motion of Mr. Moffett the Board tender, no head services dend any room of the court house professions, goods for use for the first meeting of the Macon of the Represe Institute.

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On motion of Mr. Thrift the Board addition, burial papers, journed until the second Threaday in March in the courty of the courty of

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Owing to Hard Times and Scarcity of Crops, and the Low Price of Grain, and having overloaded with winter goods, we will on and after December 23 put on sale our entire stock of

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TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

-The duke of Connaught had all the troops at Aldershot out on parade yesterday morning, and afterward gave

-It is reported that the government of Portugal has decided to remain absolutely neutral in the dispute between Jermany and England. -A dispatch from Lourenco Mar-

ques, Portuguese south Africa, says that the British gunboat Thrush and the German cruiser Sceadler are now in Delagoa bay. -Gov. Upham of Wisconsin has decided to call a special session of the

tegislature to reapportion the legislaive districts of the state according to the last census. -Persistent rumors are in circulation in Madrid that Capt.-Gen. Campos

will be succeeded by Gen. Polavieja or by Gen. Weller, in command of the Spanish forces in Cuba. -Leading democrats at the national capital are laying wires with a view to

ecuring the presidential nomination for Secretary Olney, claiming that he is the logical successor to Grover Cleve--It is said that President Kruger of the Transvaal republic has made claim

South Africa Co. for the damage inflicted by Dr. Jamieson's raid into the Fransvaal. -The Palmer house, situated or South Park road, Lezdville, Col., was burned yesterday morning. ight-year-old son of Mrs. Cornwell

of £500,000 indemnity from the British

was burned to death. There were many narrow escapes. -The Venezuelan commission will neet at the state department to morrow morning, when all the members are expected to be present. In all probability the commission will remain

n session several days.

-The week's packing of hogs at Cin sinnati amounted to 380,060, against 385,000 for the corresponding week a year ago. The total packing for the eason to March 1 is estimated at 7,385,-000, against 7,190,000 last year.

-There was no change in the bond situation yesterday so far as Wall street was concerned. The subscription blanks for the new \$100.000,000There was a good demand for them.

-The municipal authorities of Little Rock, Ark., have refused Col. Robert Ingersoll permission to lecture in that city on Sunday evening. Ingersoll desired to deliver a non-religious lecture on Shakespeare on Sunday, February 2.

-The British colonial office has issued a statement declaring that the re-port published in a New York paper, n an alleged cablegram from Caracas, Venezuela, that British troops and cannon have arrived at Cuyuni, is absolutely unfounded.

-In the tank of the steamer Hernann, which arrived at Hull, England yesterday, from Buenos Ayres, were ound fifteen stowaways. Six of them vere dead and the remaining nine were n an insensible condition, and would ave died in a few hours.

—The British flying squadron, com-posed of the battleships Royal Oak and which is now fitting out, will, when

-The Akron, Bedford & Cleveland Inter-Urban Railway Co.'s bridge which of Bedford, O., went down under the er so great a profit as weight of a 100-horse power motor and a heavy car-load of coal, yesterday morning, carrying to death one, and to fatal injuries two trainmen. a heavy car-load of coal, yesterday

A WEAK POINT.

Year's Time to Perfect any

good as the best, and that's Pillsbury's Best. Insist on having it. | statements made before the commune by officers of the bureau of engineers that there is immediate need by the department of \$2,500,000 to be expended for torpedoes and torpedo mines and for land defenses. The discussion of the torpedo system by the committee demonstrated that the tornedoes are of little value unless they are defended by guns, as they can easily be removed by an enemy unless protected by artillery.
In case of a sudden emergancy it

would take at least a year, if the appropriation were made, to procure the material, manufacture the torpedoes and

the fiscal year ending June 30, 1897. This sum, it is said, would not provide torpedoes. The hearing is conducted in regard to the bill introduced in the senate by

Senator Squire, providing for the de-

ARRIVE.

No. 1 Pass. ... 2:35 pm No. 2 Pass. ... 11:80 am ious assault. The return is the outmost of the strong of Peorla, Decatur and Evansville. to his room with a fractured arm.

LEFT A SHORTAGE.

Disappearance of a Prominent Philadel-

Johnson, resident partner of the New York banking and brokerage firm of Kendall & Whitlock, which has an office at Third and Chestnut streets in this city, has been absent from his office since Tuesday, and an examination of the books of the Philadelphia branch developed the fact that there was something seriously wrong with his accounts. Mr. Johnson's whereabouts are not

known. His residence is at Bala, a suburb, but he has not been seen in that locality, it is said, since Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Kendall, the senior member of

the firm, stated late yesterday afternoon that the accounts which were regularities, for which he (Johnson) is responsible. Mr. Kendall further said that the firm proposes to protect its customers. The presumption is that unfortunate

speculation was the cause of Johnson's disappearance.



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MACON COUNTY, \$46

In the Circuit Court, January Term. 1898.

MACON COUNTY, 1

In the Circuit Court, January Term, 1898.
Charles Wehner vs. Keziah Wehner—Chancery.
Affidavit of the nonresidence of Keziah Wehner defendant above named, having been field in the office of the clerk of the said circuit court of Maeon county, notice is hereby given to the said Keziah Wehner that the complainant field his bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, on the 30th day of November, 1895, and that thoreupon a summons 'issued out of said court against said defendant, Keziah Wehner, returnsable on the 12th day of January 1896, as is by law required.

Now unless you, the said Keziah Wehner, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of Maron county, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be hotden in Decatur, in said county, on the 13th day of January, 1886, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and terminaters and things therein charged and stated will be taken and confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. MCULELLAN, Cierk, W. E. RIEDMAN, Sol.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

EXECUTURS' NOTICE.

Estate of James Burley, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executors of the estate of James Burley, late of the county of Macon and state of Hilnols, deceased, hereby give, notice that they will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the March term on the first Monday in March next, at which time all persons having chaims against said estate are solfied and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the understened.

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EXECUTRIX' NOTICE.

Estate of John Ray, deceased. Estate of John Ray, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executive of the estate of John Ray, late of the county of Macon, and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon countr, at the court house in Decatur, at the March term, on the first Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 2d day of January, 1896.

SARAH MEDFORD, Executiv.

Stockholders' Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the People's Savings and Loan Association will be hold at its office in the city of Decatur, on the 2th day of January, 1896, between the hours of 7:30 p. m. and 9 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors, and also for the transaction of such other busiess as may come before the meeting.

Decaur. Jillools, January 6th, 1895.

ALREIT RATRISES Secretary ALBERT BARNES, Secretary.

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Springfield, account of Illinois Parmers, Instincts, sell Jan. 6th to 9th, inclusive; good returning till Jan. 10th. One and one-third fare round trip.

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

In the matter of the estate of John R. Wona cott, deceased.

and to release me from further liability in sai institer intid sak for a final discharge as such ad ninistrator, at which time and place you can be present and take such action as you may deer best.

pest. Decatur, III., December 27, 1885.
A NDREW H. MILLS.
Administrator of John R. Wonacott, deceased Dec 27-42w

Estate of James A. Spooner, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of James A. Spooner, deceased, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, hereity gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the March term, on the first Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 7th day of James T. 1865.

BUNN & PARK, Attorneys.

J. B. MYONER, Administrator.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the County Court of Macon county, Itimois, in favor of James h. Osborne and against Lode in Chappelow I have levied upon the following described properby, to-wit: Lote 5 and 6 Chappelow's subdivision of lot 14 of V. Barber's subdivision of the south part of the southeast quarter of Section 3, Township 16, Range 2 cast, 3d P. M., taken as the property of the said Lodesnia Chappelow, which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the court house in Decator in Macon county, in said state, on the 21st day of January, A. D. 1806, at 2 o'clock p. m., of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said execution. ecution.
This 31st day of December, A. D. 1896.
J. F. NICHOLSON,
Dec 31-did Sheriff Macon County, Illinois,

Estate of Courad C. Pinnell, Deceased.

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of for F. M. Children,
first. Pierce, 200ds

Illinois Central R. R. NEW ANNOUNCEMENTS. STATE OF ILLINOIS, AS 32 DAYS TOUR OF MEXICO. To all whom it may concern. You are hereby notified that I, as the administrator of John R Womacott, deceased, have this day filed in the county court of said county a final report of m Mardi Gras at New Orleans.

Rot \$275 for all expenses of the round trip. Send for illustrated pamphiet giving all particulars.

Confident rated pamphiet giving all particulars. Homeseekers' Excursions South the court, ask said court to approve said

Administrator's Notice.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Courad C. Pinnell, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the extate of Courad C. Pinnell, late of the county of Macon and state of illinsis, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Pecatur, at the March term, on the first Monday is March next, at which time ill persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to at least of the purpose of having the same adjusted. At persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 3d day of January, 1873.

Jan 3-day

M. B. HERECH BERGUER.

AUCTION SALE!

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The sacrifice sale will continue until we get \$25,000.

No part of our stock is held back. You can select any article in our entire stock and it will be offered at once. Don't put it off if there is anything you want or someone else will get it. Come now. Our sales are immense, but we are giving unheard of values, in order to bring out the money. We recognize that in order to make so large a sum come in so short a time, we must LOSE MONEY. Ask your neighbors about the way we are conducting this sale, and about how cheaply they got their goods.

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Misses Jackets at \$3, \$3.50, \$4.50 and Misses Long Coats (with cape), a \$2.95, \$3.50, \$4.50 and \$5.

200, volve, valou and vol. Plush Cloaks made over into Capes. New sleeves put into Cloaks of an

Men's Goods.

Men's Wool Shirts all to be closed out at 50 cents each, worth up to \$2. Men's Shoes (congress or lace) to be and 35c a yard. closed out at 98 cents a pair, worth up Mattings to be closed at 15c, $17^{1}2^{1}$ to 82.50

Grey Blankets at 75c, 98c, and \$1.50. All Wool Blankets at \$2.95, worth \$4 Ladies' Wool Vests at 39c, 50c, 65c

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FRIDAY, JAN. 10, 1896.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

PATHBONE SISTERS—Special meeting of R Fern Leaf Temple. No. 18. R. S., to day (Friday) at 7:30 p. m., at Castle hall Chevalier Bayard Itali. Ali anembers requested to be present. I RAHORE COPE, M. E. C. DORA J. CARTER, M. of R. and C.

I.O. O. F.—Regular meeting of Columbia R. v. D. Lodge, No. 199, L. O.O.F. this (Friday) evening at 7:30 o'clock in their half East Main street. All members of the degree staff are requested to be present, Usiting brothers and sters invited. Lizzer Gregor, N. G. Olive Votaw, Sec.

LOCAL NEWS.

BOTTLE and bulk perfumes at Whit-

Whitley's.

THE Farmer City Journal was twenty ive years old last week. THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Johnny Weigand, are the best in

mar25-dtf Espey's Cream-regular price 25c, cut price, 15c, at West's Drug Store.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR. You can save money by taking your

THE new face powder, "Trilby," cut

price, 15 cents, at West's Drug Store. USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR. TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOUR, The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth. No substitute or cheap drug used as prescriptions at Whitley's.

DR. L. E. COONRADT, Dentist, rooms 42 and 43, Featon block.

the proper place for a real estate office is true also to day, as very few refuse it Weldon hotel the night of the tragedy 10-33t is on the ground floor.

TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOUR,

The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth

has been juggled with by alleged "Bankrupt Sales," "Clearance Sales," and Fire Sales," ctc., until an honest sale is oked upon with suspicion.

But one Clearance Sale is about to be runched in our midst that is honest and ts offers will be faithfully carried out to he letter. No marking up of prices and portion of the cost.

hoes—let's trade Folkath & Hardy, The Shoe Fitters.

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Marca.

tave been in Chicago visiting this week. They eturned home this morning. Dr. E. A. Morgan and wife and E. J. Carter

The Dramatic club have postponed their play entitled "The Deacon" until Feb. 14, owing to religious services throughout the month of

January.

Mrs. 1rv. Emerick's many friends surprised her Monday. It being her 26th birthday they

A. Stoutenborough is visiting in Ohio.

The D. of R.'s will give a poverty social at their Mrs. L. Burrows. A. Kempshall has moved his harness and shoe hop in Walnut street in rooms adjoining the There are revival services at all the churches

Passed Away at Bicomington at Remains of S. reter Hart Now at Hon. D. P. Keiler, of Moweaque, an Early Hour This Morning.

gher Block, and who was taken to last evening while attending the funeral Bloomington (Monday night, accompa. of his brother, J. C. Hart, is now at the nied by his wife and son, and Harry rooms of Undertaker Bullard, from Moweaqua, Shelby county, where he is Fisk, ir., of Cour de Leon Lodge, which place the funeral will take place engaged in the banking and stock hust Knights of Pythias, died of paralysis probably on Sunday. Mr. Hart lost his ness, announces through the Moweaque at an early hour this morning at the wife some years ago by death, Republican that he has decided to be home of 'his brother-in-law, W. H. and he had four children who come a candidate for nomination for Sheidler, 70I East Olive street, Bloom. have homes. It was while Peter stood state treasurer. Mr. Keller is well and ington. This telegram was received at the casket looking down upon the this morning:

BLOOMINGTON, ILL., Jan. 10. A. G. Bowen died here this morning. Notify Mr. Fisk who came here with him. W. H. SHIEDLER.

Mr. Fisk was with Mr. Bowen at Bloomington last night and had a long talk with him. He seemed to be hopeful of speedy recovery, telling Harry to inform Decatur friends that he would be back to see them soon. He evidently had a change for the worse after Harry started for home. The deceased leaves of age. Mr. Bowen was about 45 years Hunter & Son commission house. old. He came here some years ago from Muncie, Ind , and became the Decatur agent for the Vandalia Railway com pany. He was a member of Chevalier Bayard Lodge, Knights of Pythias. The body will probably be taken to Muncie,

COCHRAN ROBBED.

Ind., for burial.

A Thief Nabs His Gold Watch and Disappears.

The chief incident at police headquarters to-day was the appearance of a Cigags at \$1.00 per box and up at Western Union telegraph messenger who delivered this message:

Sullivan, Ill., Jan. 10.—Chief of Police "DAVENPORT," the new cigar at West's Decatur: Look out for gold watch, Drug Store.

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SULLIVAN, III, Jun. 10.—Control Poince Decatur: Look out for gold watch, Elgin works, number 65,454. I was nobbed last night. W. G. COCHRAN. The victim of the robber's cupidity i the honorable speaker of the Illinois House of Representatives, and a campfire orator and politician of considerable celebrity. All of his Grand Army and a new ticker.

Gas at Terre Haute. "Well," said a well-known salesman traveling out of Terre Haute to a reporter to-day, "I see you have a gas war on in Decatur. For over four years gas at Terre Haute only cost us 35 cents, ting out about even at that price. Fi. Champaign, and his acquaintences here who may be less favored than he. nally the two companies raised the price believe his denial in preference to the to 50 cents, and it continued at this to 50 cents, and it continued at this published newspaper reports in which his 2 and 43, Fenton block. aug 24-dtf

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

C. M. Attendury has removed his all estate office to 142 East Prairie stove dealers had a fearful boom in their life, and interested friends have not all foresten him by a considerable, and they think that, even should be be indicted by the grand jury. In the banking business at Dalton City. The firm name as Keller & considerable, and they think that, even should be be indicted by the grand jury. If the Well-at real estate office to 142 East Prairie stove dealers had a fearful boom in their he will have little difficulty in clearing avenue, with the Wabash ticket office— business. In fact it caused a boom in himself of the charge of murder. They the room formerly occupied by Kuny & more lines than one, and no light was denounce the story his 4 year old son is Johns. He has wisely concluded that ever so popular as gas at that time. This reported to have told the keeper of the at \$1.00.

For Highway Improvement.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 9 .- The Illinois Highway Improvement Association held

luring the entire session.

Died in Ottawa.

then marking them down. No deception, for the past thirteen years. Deceased no jugglery, no trickery. All our shoes spent several months in Decatur last as you well know are marked in plain summer, the guest of Mrs. H. M. Kreidfigures, at profitable figures. Now, for ler. She expressed a desire to be buried the next 30 days, we will shear the prices here, and the body arrived in Decatur of profit and in many cases of a goodly to day. The funeral took place at 3 p. m. from the residence of Mrs. Kreidler, We need the money, you need the 538 North Franklin street, and the junction to prevent Sheriff Nicholson burial was in Greenwood.

Broke His Hip.

John Foley, a retired farmer, 78 years of age, met with a serious misfortune at Dalton City yesterday, while walking about the yard. He fell and broke his right hip in such a manner that he will of his days. Dr. Graves of Dalton City ing. Refreshments were also served.

Afternoon Party.

Mrs. Frank Roach entertained a few p. m., choice roasts and boiling meate, who shot himself rather than suffer Mrs. Frank Roach entertained a few January.

Mrs. It's Emerick's many friends surprised at her home on West North street. The her Monday. It being her 26th birthday they went weit provisioned and reported a good time, affair was given in honor of Mrs. Walter wood pumps, iron pumps, force pumps that did before I comments as he did before I comments as he did before I comments. Lew Whitmer and Homer Fry are on the sick Strange, of Minneapolis, Minn., who is and pump repairs. in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and

USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR Paid.

The insurance agency of Kuny, Johns & Strohm yesterday afternoon paid to E. L. Jamison, of Claytonville, who has been Fred Wedel \$785.65, that being the usiting friends here, has returned to his home amount allowed him on his insurance of Charles Wykoff and wife, of Decatur, were in \$2,000 on his buildings on Last Eldorado the city resterday.

Manuel Friedman, of Springfield, is visiting street that were damaged by fire Tues-

DEATH OF A. G. BOWEN. FATHER OF FOUR CHILDREN

STATE TREASURER.

a Candidate.

Hon. D. P. Keller, a former citizen of

Mr. Keller is a Republican by inher-

old colonial Republican settlers of Olio,

where he was born and brought up on a

early age he was sent to school, and like

where he received a liberal education, which with his busy life he was enabled

years he can recall to mind as one rea

son he has been successful through his business life. In November, 1804, he came to Illinois and soon afterwards

located in Macon county, where he be

came engaged in the pursuit of farming.

quarter of a century, and by frugality and careful attention to business man-

elected representative to the 36th and

37th general assemblies of the state of

Illinois, and was a very active and con

when he at once was identified as one o

the progressive enterprising citizens, devoting his entire time to the banking

In announcing his name as a candi date we name a man who has a state ac

quaintance, and numbers his friends by the thousand, and whose Republicanism is unquestioned and if nominated will

Harlow, the original queen, Ross Snow.

of Springfield, who made a great hit m

Sales of Real Estate.

C. G. Wood to Mary A. Harvey, lot-C. M. Barnett's resurvey of west haf f block 1, Joseph King's addition 5,000.

Tax Bond.

Milam Township, Jacob V. M. 'Y.

collector; bond, \$11,283.50; suret

Michael Ekiss.

Frank Rogers, John H. Goltra and

TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOUR.

Wire-Heres an account of a

ed. He is a man for the people

which business he followed for over

agement he became quite wealthy.
In the fall of 1888 and 1890 he

tance, by birth, and by education ancestors belonging to, and were of the

The body of S. Peter Hait, the for several weeks at his room in Galia. elderly gentleman who died suddenly stroke came, and he reeled and fell in a matter of much interest to his old faint into the arms of Pastor Hobbs, friends and neighbors. Following are who lowered him to the floor where he some of the things the Moweaqua R died. Relatives did not desire that Po- publican says of him and his candidacy ter should take the farewell look, as it | We are hereby authorized, and take ter should take the farewell look, as it was known to them that he was in poor health. But he was persuaded to go to the coffin. Dr. Jones attended him, but nothing could be done. Heart disease had done its work. Mr. Hart was 53 years of age, and had been a drayman in the community for many years. Lately the community for many years. Lately favorably known throughout the great a widow and a son who is fifteen years he had been managing a team for the State of Illinois.

> The remains of Peter Hart will be aken to the home of his brother, B. W. Hart, 785 East William street, where the farm near the city of Lancaster. funeral will be held. There are four other farmer boys, his time was divided children surviving him. They are Jessie, between farm work and seeking an edu Edith, Lucy and Edward. There are cation. As he grew older he attended also four brothers and aged father. The also four brothers and aged father. The brothers are Bryant and B. W., of this city; Frank, of Chicago, and Wellington, to devote to a practical use, and in late of Kansas City. There is one sister, Mrs. J. R. Jones, of Sunberry, Pa. The funeral will be at the residence

LATER.

at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The interment will be at North Fork cemetery.

THE WELDON TRAGEDY.

More About the Stories Recently Published in the Case.

Champaign Gazette.

Some days ago Mayor Harry Magill, of Clinton, was brought into the Pacetal Taylor tragedy by a newspaper which said that he had examined the revolver said that he had examined the revolver that the said that he had examined the revolver that the said that he had examined the revolver that the said that he had examined the revolver that the said that he had examined the revolver that the said that he had examined the revolver that the said that he had examined the revolver that the said that he had examined the revolver that the said that he had examined the revolver that the said that he had examined the revolver that the said that he had examined the revolver that the said that he had examined the revolver that the said that th him in his misfortune. No doubt a found near the dead body of Dr. Taylor, movement will be inaugurated looking to the investment of Mr. Cochran with revolve. It was also said that he had a a new ticker. conversation with Dr. Taylor, some days all the leading political phases of the before the tragedy. Mayor Magill now denies all this. He says he never had a conversation with Dr. Taylor on the leading political speaker when beginning an address he is cool and calm, but gradually warms to his exbject, and is conversation with Dr. Taylor on the literature and he also says he never his religion is his religion and not a had Pace matter, and he also says he never his religion is his politics, and not a bad advanced the theories credited to him kind of religion either. His personal influence and friendships extend to all by the paper making the publication. parties; ever seeking an opportunity to Mayor Magill is quite well known in elevate and enlighten his follow man

Stolen Goods.

While Frank Garriott was hunting The Best Spring Whoat Float on Laterest of Carpets.

We place our entire stock of Carpets (ingrains only) on sale to close the stock of three years at 6 per cent. interest on a farm worth \$8.000. The loan will be as good as government bonds. Will party out the best Lowell and Hartford Wool Carpets to go at 48 cents a yard, worth 65c.

All the best Lowell and Hartford Other makes of Carpets to go at 48 cents a yard, worth 65c.

Other makes of Carpet at 15c, 20c, 25c and 35c a yard.

Mattings to be closed at 15c, 17½ cand 35c a yard.

An honset man is the noblest work of God, and as P. T. Barnum once added, and 35c a yard.

An honset man is the noblest work of God, and as P. T. Barnum once added, and 25½ ca yard.

An honset man is the noblest work of God, and as P. T. Barnum once added, ys, and they are getting to be a mighty scarce article. The public confidence in the public confidence of Farman and 25½ ca yard.

Any Dry Goods this month. west of Col. Warner's residence this D. A. Maffit, highway commissioner carded clothing lay near by. Any one made one of the most brilliant events in from Decatur township, was present knowing Will S. Turner will confer a the history of the house. The "142" favor by reporting the same to the chief company is now playing in the larger of police. It was thought James Hayes, eastern cities, and the play is creiting at who was arrested in Decatur lately by much interest as it did when first per Mrs. Ada Richey died Wednesday at Marshal Moffett, might know something sented. It is under the management of Ottawa, Ill. She had been an invalid about these clothes, but he denies any Jefferson, Klaw & Erlanger. Among knowledge of them .-- Clinton Public. the members of the company are Mr.

After an Injunction.

at St. Louis, represented by Attorney New York and Boston, and Bessie Bone The Wertheimer and Swartz Shoe Co., Johns, were before Judge Vail in chambers this afternoon applying for an in from selling the Max Greenburg stock of goods taken recently on executions.

Jacob Morgenstein to Sarah II. Wet zel, 80 feet off the west side lot 2. Ball's addition in 32, 15, 1 cast—82,000

A Card Party.

Chester Hanes gave a card party to a number of his school friends last night at his home, 764 West Main street. Whist and other games were engaged in, probably be a cripple for the remainder after which there was music and danc

Hours at the Parior Market. Meat sales for Saturday, January 11. The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth From 9 to 10 a.m., and from 7:30 to 9:30

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